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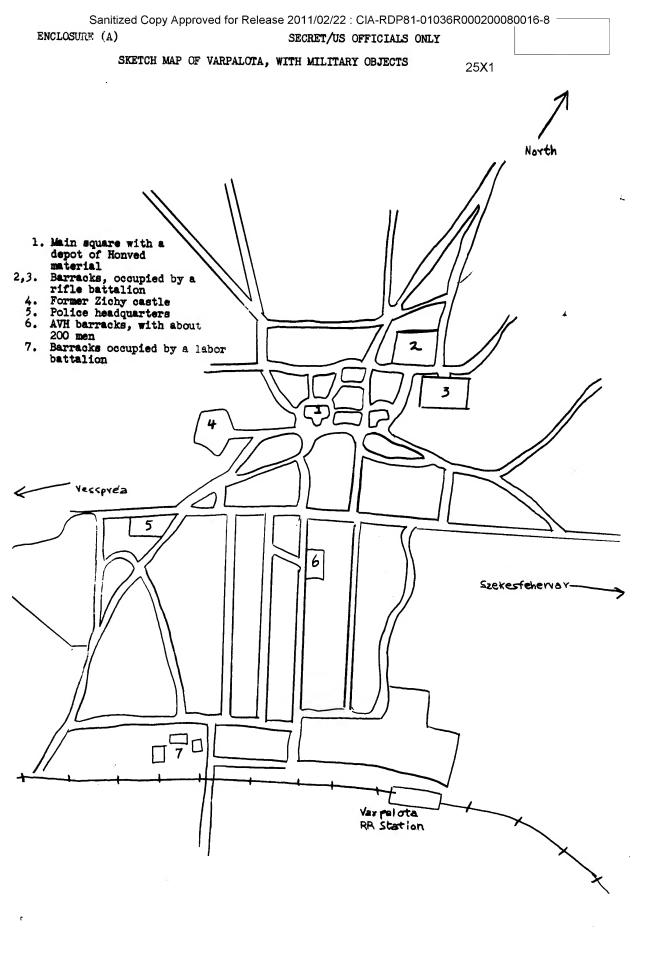
INFORMATION REPORT COUNTRY Hungary SUBJECT Honved Target Range at Várpalota DATE DISTR. 8 July 1954 NO. OF PAGES OF THE UNITED STATES, W'TH N THE MEANING OF TITLE IS. SECTIONS 793 NO. OF ENCLS. ND 794, OF THE U.S. CODE, AS AMENDED. ITS TRANSMISSION OR REVE-ATION OF ITS CONTENTS TO OR RECEIPT BY AN UNAUTHORIZED PERSON I BONIBITED BY LAY. THE REPRODUCTION OF THIS REPORT IS PROMISITED. SUPP. TO REPORT NO. THIS IS UNEVALUATED INFORMATION 25X1 25X1 1. At Várpalota there is a training course for reserve non-coms, with about 150 students. The course lasts two months. They are former members of the Honved, whose political reliability has been attested. 2. There is also a sharpshooter's school for the army, with 150 to 200 students, good shots from the reserve. Training with the Tokarev automatic rifle fitted with a telescope sight is especially emphasized. Instruction in the handling of explosives 25X1 Attached is also given. The commandant is lst Lt. Lorant The school is in as an instructor is Sub-Lt. Laszlo Kasas 25X1 the former Zichy castle in the west part of the town. 3. There is a target range staff company of about 100 men. The car park consists of one Chevrolet passenger car, 3 Tatra passenger cars, 25X1 4 Open-Kapitan passenger cars, eight 3.5-ton Csepel trucks, nine 3-ton ZIS trucks. ENCLOSURE (A): Sketch Map of Varpalota, with Military Objects

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